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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

Competition among internet providers is super important. It sucks to only have one or two options, who can then price gouge for shitty service. Equal and accessible access to broadband service is critical to equity. I want to say NO to price hikes.

I will be materially affected by forebearance from Section 251(c)(3). In fact, those effects would be profound; without access to UNE services, my ISP wouldnt have been able to connect me while they build their fiber networks, nor fund the construction of the fiber networks. And once fiber networks are built, UNEs are still used they connect from city to city and are the key backhaul for all of my ISP's fiber networks.

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